

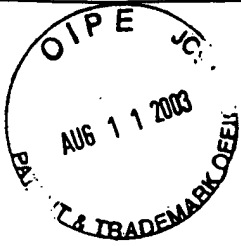
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Re: U.S. Application No. 09/824,200
Filed: April 3, 2001
Title: Expression and Purification of Bioactive, Authentic
Polypeptides from Plants
Applicants: Douglas A. RUSSELL *et al.*
Atty. Docket: 18337.006

Sir:

The following documents are forwarded herewith for appropriate action by the U.S.
Patent and Trademark Office (PTO):

1. a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal;
2. a Supplemental Amendment and Remarks;
3. a Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136;
4. an Information Disclosure Statement;
5. Form PTO-1449 with 46 accompanying references;
6. an Original Substitute Declaration and Power of Attorney; and
7. a return postcard.

Please stamp the attached postcard with the filing date of these documents and return it to our courier.

Applicants request that the following fee be charged to Deposit Account No. 50-2387 referencing docket number 18337.006:

\$ <u>750.00</u>	request for continued examination fee
\$ <u>410.00</u>	two-month extension of time fee

In the event that extensions of time beyond those petitioned for herewith are necessary to prevent abandonment of this patent application, then such extensions of time are hereby

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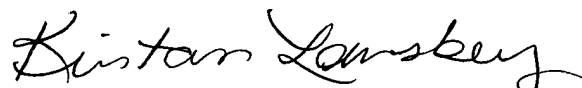
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petitioned. Applicants do not believe any fees, other than the above fees (\$1,160), are due in conjunction with this filing. However, if any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 or 1.17 are required in the present application, including any fees for extensions of time, then the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge such fees to Arnold & Porter Deposit Account No. 50-2387 referencing matter number 18337.006. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,



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